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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Friday, 21 December 2001

SECURITY COUNCIL

10.30 a.m. 4444th meeting Security Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda

2. The situation in Angola

3 p.m. 4445th meeting Security Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda

2. Wrap-up discussion on the work of the Security Council for the current month

SECURITY COUNCIL WORKING GROUP ON PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS

10 a.m. closed meeting Trusteeship Council Chamber

SECURITY COUNCIL COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION 751 (1992) CONCERNING SOMALIA

10 a.m. 18th (closed) meeting* Conference Room 7

* The Chairman of the Committee will give an oral briefing to interested Members of the United Nations in the same room, immediately following the meeting.

MILITARY STAFF COMMITTEE

11 a.m.-
1 p.m. 1473rd (closed) meeting Conference Room 9

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Fifty-sixth session

10 a.m.

90th PLENARY MEETING

General Assembly Hall

1. Macroeconomic policy questions: report of the Second Committee (A/56/558) [95]
 - (a) Trade and development: report of the Second Committee (A/56/558/Add.1)
 - (b) International financial system and development: report of the Second Committee (A/56/558/Add.2)
 - (c) Science and technology for development: report of the Second Committee (A/56/558/Add.3)
 - (d) External debt crisis and development: report of the Second Committee (A/56/558/Add.4)
2. Sectoral policy questions: report of the Second Committee (A/56/559) [96]
3. Sustainable development and international economic cooperation: reports of the Second Committee (A/56/560 and Add.5) [97]
 - (a) Women in development: report of the Second Committee (A/56/560/Add.1)
 - (b) Human resources development: report of the Second Committee (A/56/560/Add.2)
 - (c) High-level dialogue on strengthening international economic cooperation for development through partnership: report of the Second Committee (A/56/560/Add.3)
 - (d) Implementation of the commitments and policies agreed upon in the Declaration on International Economic Cooperation, in particular the Revitalization of Economic Growth and Development of the Developing Countries, and implementation of the International Development Strategy for the Fourth United Nations Development Decade: report of the Second Committee (A/56/560/Add.4)
4. Environment and sustainable development: reports of the Second Committee (A/56/561 and Add.8) [98]
 - (a) Implementation of Agenda 21 and the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21: report of the Second Committee (A/56/561/Add.1)
 - (b) International strategy for disaster reduction: report of the Second Committee (A/56/561/Add.2)
 - (c) Implementation of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, particularly in Africa: report of the Second Committee (A/56/561/Add.3)
 - (d) Convention on Biological Diversity: report of the Second Committee (A/56/561/Add.4)
 - (e) Further implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States: report of the Second Committee (A/56/561/Add.5)
 - (f) Protection of global climate for present and future generations of mankind: report of the Second Committee (A/56/561/Add.6)
 - (g) Promotion of new and renewable sources of energy, including the implementation of the World Solar Programme 1996-2005: report of the Second Committee (A/56/561/Add.7)
5. Operational activities for development: report of the Second Committee (A/56/562) [99]
 - (a) Triennial policy review of operational activities for development of the United Nations system: report of the Second Committee (A/56/562/Add.1)
 - (b) Economic and technical cooperation among developing countries: report of the Second Committee (A/56/562/Add.2)

6. International migration and development, including the question of the convening of a United Nations conference on international migration and development to address migration issues: report of the Second Committee (A/56/563) [100]
7. Permanent sovereignty of the Palestinian people in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including Jerusalem, and of the Arab population in the occupied Syrian Golan over their natural resources: report of the Second Committee (A/56/564) [101]
8. Implementation of the Habitat Agenda and outcome of the special session of the General Assembly on this topic: report of the Second Committee (A/56/565) [102]
9. Implementation of the first United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (1997-2006): report of the Second Committee (A/56/566) [103]
10. Training and research: report of the Second Committee (A/56/567) [104]
11. Globalization and interdependence: report of the Second Committee (A/56/568) [105]
12. Third United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries: report of the Second Committee (A/56/569) [106]
13. High-level international intergovernmental consideration of financing for development: report of the Second Committee (A/56/570) [107]
14. Report of the Economic and Social Council: report of the Second Committee (A/56/571) [12]
15. Multilingualism [32]
 - (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/56/656)
 - (b) Draft resolution (A/56/L.44/Rev.1)
16. The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina: draft resolution (A/56/L.65) [40]

3 p.m.

91st PLENARY MEETING

General Assembly Hall

1. Financing of the United Nations peacekeeping forces in the Middle East: United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon: report of the Fifth Committee (A/56/722) [134 (b)]
2. Declaration of the Assembly of Heads of State and Government of the Organization of African Unity on the aerial and naval military attack against the Socialist People's Libyan Arab Jamahiriya by the present United States Administration in April 1986 [52]
3. Armed Israeli aggression against the Iraqi nuclear installations and its grave consequences for the established international system concerning the peaceful uses of nuclear energy, the non-proliferation of nuclear weapons and international peace and security [53]
4. Consequences of the Iraqi occupation of and aggression against Kuwait [54]
5. Implementation of the resolutions of the United Nations [55]
6. Launching of global negotiations on international economic cooperation for development [56]
7. Question of the Comorian island of Mayotte [57]
8. Strengthening of the United Nations system; revitalization of the work of the General Assembly: letter from the Permanent Representative of the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya [59 and 60]
9. Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations: cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe [21 (i)]
 - (a) Draft resolution (A/56/L.66)
 - (b) Amendment (A/56/L.67)

10. Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian and disaster relief assistance of the United Nations, including special economic assistance: draft resolution (A/56/L.64) [20]
11. Final review and appraisal of the implementation of the United Nations New Agenda for the Development of Africa in the 1990s: draft resolution (A/56/L.61) [22]
12. Assistance in mine action: draft resolution (A/56/L.63/Rev.1) [38]
13. Emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy and reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan; the situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security [20 (f) and 43]
 - (a) Draft resolution (A/56/L.62)
 - (b) Report of the Fifth Committee (A/56/725)

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE

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| <p>10 a.m.-
1 p.m.</p> <p>All outstanding issues</p> <p>3 p.m.-
6 p.m.</p> <p>All outstanding issues</p> <p>7 p.m.</p> | <p>informal consultations
(closed)</p> <p>informal consultations
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1. Pattern of conferences [124]

Action on draft resolution A/C.5/56/L.24
 2. Programme budget for the biennium 2000-2001 [122]

Second performance report

*Action on draft resolution A/C.5/56/L.30**
 3. Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2002-2003 [123]:

Programme budget implications

*Action on draft decision A/C.5/56/L.33**

Report of the Secretary-General on the utilization of the provision for special political missions (A/C.5/56/32*)

Report of the Secretary-General on the contingency fund: consolidated statement of programme budget implications and revised estimates (A/C.5/56/33*)

Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2002-2003 [123]:

- (a) Questions relating to the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2002-2003

*Action on draft resolution A/C.5/56/L.29**

- (b) Draft report of the Fifth Committee

Introduction and action on recommendations contained therein A/C.5/56/L.28 (Parts I and II)*

Safety and security of United Nations personnel

*Action on draft resolution A/C.5/56/L.31**

4. Programme budget for the biennium 2000-2001 [122]

Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations [133]

Comprehensive review of the whole question of peace-keeping operations in all their aspects

*Action on draft resolution A/C.5/56/L.32**

5. Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [121]

Biennial programme of work

*Action on draft decision A/C.5/56/L.34**

Action taken on certain items

*Action on draft decision A/C.5/56/L.35**

6. Closure of the work of the Fifth Committee during the main part of the fifty-sixth session of the General Assembly

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE
AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

Subjects

10.30 a.m.

closed meeting

Conference Room 10

Subjects

1. Wrap-up papers (if available)
2. Closure of the session

MEETINGS OTHER THAN MEETINGS OF UNITED NATIONS BODIES

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Friday, 21 December 2001

AFRICAN GROUP:

GROUP OF EXPERTS ON ECONOMIC MATTERS

10 a.m. - 1 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 6

GROUP OF 77

*(on the special meeting of the General Assembly
on the digital divide)*

1.30 p.m.- 2.30 p.m. closed meeting Economic and Social Council Chamber

AFRICAN GROUP OF THE WHOLE

3 p.m. - 6 p.m. closed meeting Trusteeship Council Chamber

ASIAN GROUP OF THE WHOLE

3 p.m. - 6 p.m. closed meeting Economic and Social Council Chamber

GROUP OF 77

*(on the preparations for the World Summit
for Sustainable Development)*

3 p.m. - 6 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 6

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

The fourth session of the Preparatory Committee for the International Conference on Financing for Development will be held from 14 to 25 January 2002. The first meeting will take place on Monday, 14 January, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 1. The provisional annotated agenda and organization of work will be issued as document A/AC.257/31.

Delegations are requested to submit the names of their representatives to the Secretary of the Preparatory Committee, Ms. Vivian Pliner-Josephs (room S-2950E; fax: (212) 963-5935).

Background information on the preparatory process for the International Conference on Financing for Development and the work of the Preparatory Committee is available on the financing for development Web site at: <http://www.un.org/esa/ffd>.

The revised draft outcome document of the International Conference on Financing for Development, which has been prepared by the Facilitator, Mr. Mauricio Escanero, is available on the Financing for Development Web site at: <http://www.un.org/esa/ffd>. Hard copies of the text may be obtained from the Financing for Development Coordinating Secretariat (room DC2-2386).

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

The Commission for Social Development acting as the preparatory committee for the Second World Assembly on Ageing will hold consultations on the draft outcome document from 10 to 16 January 2002. Regional groups will meet from 7 to 9 January 2002. The deadline for the submission of new texts or amendments to the draft outcome document is Thursday, 10 January, at 12 noon.

The Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations will hold its resumed 2001 session from 14 to 25 January 2002 in Conference Room 4. The agenda of the 2001 session is contained in document E/C.2/2001/1.

Members of the Committee, as well as observers, who wish to attend, are requested to inform the Secretary-General about the composition of their delegation for the resumed session through the Committee Secretary, Mr. Otto Gustafik (room S-2950F; fax: (212) 963-5935).

The Technical Subgroup of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on Informatics will meet, under the chairmanship of H.E. Mr. Bob F. Jalang'o (Kenya), on Tuesday, 15 January 2002, at 10 a.m. sharp in Conference Room 9.

The fortieth session of the Commission for Social Development will be held at Headquarters from 11 to 21 February 2002. The first meeting will take place on Monday, 11 February, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 1. The provisional annotated agenda will be issued as document E/CN.5/2002/1, and the organization of work will be issued as document E/CN.5/2002/L.1.

Delegations are kindly requested to submit the names of their representatives to the Secretary of the Commission, Ms. Vivian Pliner-Josephs (room S-2950E; fax: (212) 963-5935).

The Bureau of the Commission on the Status of Women invites delegations to propose names for panellists to participate in the forty-sixth session of the Commission on the Status of Women (4-15 March 2002). There will be two panels focusing on the following thematic issues being taken up by the Commission: (1) Eradicating poverty, including through the empowerment of women throughout their life cycle in a globalizing world; and (2) Environmental management and mitigation of natural disasters: a gender perspective. Delegations are kindly requested to submit names and curricula vitae to the Division for the Advancement of Women, by hand-delivery to room DC2-1260, by fax ((212)-963-3463); or by e-mail (daw@un.org), no later than *today*, 21 December 2001.

United Nations Children's Fund

EXECUTIVE BOARD

Pre-session briefing

An informal pre-session information briefing on major issues before the UNICEF Executive Board at its first regular session (21-25 January 2002) will take place on Thursday, 10 January 2002, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. The provisional annotated agenda and organization of work are contained in document E/ICEF/2002/2. All delegations are invited to attend.

First regular session for 2002

The first regular session of the UNICEF Executive Board will take place from 21 to 25 January 2002 in Conference Room 2. The provisional annotated agenda and organization of work are contained in document E/ICEF/2002/2. Delegations are requested to fax their credentials to the secretariat of UNICEF (fax: (212) 326-7096) as soon as possible, but no later than Monday, 7 January 2002.

In accordance with rule 50 (2) of the rules of procedure and its annex, observer delegations are also requested to communicate, with their credentials, their special interest in the items of the provisional agenda on which they intend to intervene.

**Executive Board of the United Nations Development
Programme and of the United Nations
Population Fund**

Pre-session informal consultations

The Executive Board of UNDP and of UNFPA will hold pre-session informal consultations on all matters before the first regular session for 2002 on Friday, 11 January 2002, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

First regular session for 2002

The first regular session for 2002 of the Executive Board of UNDP and of UNFPA will be held from Monday, 28 January, to Friday, 8 February 2002, in Conference Room 2. The joint session of the Executive Boards of UNDP/UNFPA and of UNICEF, with the participation of WFP, will take place on Monday, 28 January, from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 2.

The provisional agenda, annotations, list of documents and work plan are contained in document DP/2002/L.1. Interested delegations are invited to attend.

Delegations, as well as observers, are requested to fax their credentials to the secretariat of the Executive Board (fax: (212) 906-5634) as soon as possible, but no later than Monday, 21 January 2002.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

At the informal meeting held on Friday, 7 December 2001, the Chairperson of Working Group II of the Disarmament Commission dealing with agenda item 5 (Practical confidence-building measures in the field of conventional arms) distributed the information provided by delegations on documents and meetings on existing confidence-building measures in the field of conventional arms. Copies of the information are available at the Department of Disarmament Affairs with Mr. Nazir Kamal (room S-3170F; tel.: (212) 963-6195), as well as with the Chairperson, Ms. Gabriela Martinic, Permanent Mission of Argentina (tel.: (212) 688-6300, extensions 226 and 224). The Chairperson would also like to remind all delegations that they might submit further information.

Background information on the Secretary-General's report on the priority theme "Integration of social and economic policy" of the fortieth session of the Commission for Social Development (12-22 February 2002), is available to be picked up at the office of the Director of the Division for Social Policy and Development (room DC2-1370). It can also be downloaded from the Web site of the Division at: www.un.org/esa/socdev/csd/2002/htm.

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Workshop

The United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) and the United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) are jointly conducting a Workshop on the priority theme of the fortieth session of the Commission for Social Development: Integration of social and economic policy. This workshop, to be conducted in English, will be held on Wednesday, 16 January 2002, from 9.45 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 p.m. to 4.45 p.m.

A letter on this subject, including a detailed information note, the draft programme and a nomination form, was addressed to all Permanent Missions in New York. The registration deadline is Wednesday, 9 January. For further information, please contact Ms. Cecelia Coleman at UNITAR (room DC1-603, tel.: (212) 963- 9684 or (212) 963- 9196).

As from Monday, 3 December 2001, and for the rest of the month, the President of the Security Council will conduct informal briefings daily on the current work of the Council for Member States of the United Nations which are non-members of the Council, except on days on which no informal consultations are scheduled. The briefings will take place immediately following the adjournment of the informal consultations in the Press Briefing Room (S-226).

Recorded information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by calling (212) 963-8530.

Delegations who wish to make their statements available to the media at Headquarters are advised to provide 100 copies of these directly to the media office located on the third floor in the Secretariat Building (room S-348).

SUMMARY OF MEETINGS

Thursday, 20 December 2001

SECURITY COUNCIL

4443rd meeting

The situation in Afghanistan

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Afghanistan, at his request, to participate in the discussion of the item without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution contained in document S/2001/1228, which had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations, and made an oral revision to the text in its provisional form.

The Council proceeded to the vote on the draft resolution before it (S/2001/1228), as orally revised in its provisional form.

Decision: The draft resolution (S/2001/1228), as orally revised in its provisional form, received 15 votes in favour, none against, and no abstentions, and was adopted unanimously as resolution 1386 (2001).

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Fifty-sixth session

89th plenary meeting

Emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy and reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan; the situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security [20 (f) and 43]

(a) *Reports of the Secretary-General (A/56/681, A/56/687)*

(b) *Draft resolution (A/56/L.62)*

The representative of Germany made statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/56/L.62.

Statements were made by the representatives of Afghanistan, Belgium (on behalf of the European Union and Bulgaria), Cyprus, the Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Poland, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia and Turkey), the Republic of Korea, Norway, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Pakistan, Japan, India, the United States, Ukraine, Turkey, Colombia, Bangladesh, Canada, Nepal and Uzbekistan.

The President informed the General Assembly that in order to allow time to the Fifth Committee to review the programme budget implications of draft resolution A/56/L.62, action on the draft resolution was postponed.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Tenth emergency special session

15th plenary meeting

Resumption of the tenth emergency special session

The President of the General Assembly declared resumed the tenth emergency special session of the General Assembly pursuant to Assembly resolution ES-10/7 of 20 October 2000.

The President drew the attention of delegations to documents A/ES-10/130 and A/ES-10/131.

The President informed members that, in accordance with rule 63 of the rules of procedures of the General Assembly, the President and the Vice-Presidents of the fifty-sixth session would serve in the same capacity as the resumed tenth emergency session.

On the proposal of the President, the General Assembly decided that the Credential Committee at the resumed tenth emergency special session would consist of the same members as those appointed at the fifty-sixth session.

The General Assembly took note of a letter by the Secretary-General (A/ES-10/132) concerning 14 Member States that were in arrears in the payment of their financial contribution to the United Nations within the term of Article 19 of the Charter.

Illegal Israeli actions in Occupied East Jerusalem and the rest of the Occupied Palestinian Territory: draft resolutions (A/ES-10/L.7 (A/ES-10/L.7A), A/ES-10/L.8 (A/ES-10/L.7B)) [5]

The President made a technical correction to document A/ES-10/L.7 to the effect that the sponsors had submitted two separate draft resolutions and that the two draft resolutions had been issued as Part A and Part B of document A/ES-10/L.7. In accordance with the intention of the sponsors, Part A should have been issued as document A/ES-10/L.7 and Part B should have been issued as document A/ES-10/L.8.

Accordingly, the General Assembly considered two draft resolutions, A/ES-10/L.7 and A/ES-10/L.8.

The Assembly decided to waive the relevant provision of rule 78 of the rules of procedures and decided to consider draft resolutions A/ES-10/L.7 and A/ES-10/L.8.

The President made a statement.

The representative of Egypt (on behalf of the League of Arab States) made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolutions A/ES-10/L.7 and A/ES-10/L.8.

The observer of Palestine made a statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of South Africa (on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement), Senegal (Chairman of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People), Chile (on behalf of the Rio Group), the United Republic of Tanzania, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Israel, Qatar (on behalf of the Organization of the Islamic Conference), Norway, Cuba, the United States, the Russian Federation, Belgium (on behalf of the European Union and Bulgaria), Cyprus, the Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Iceland, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Malta, Poland, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia and Turkey), Canada, China, Japan, Maldives, Brazil and Bangladesh.

In accordance with the decision taken by the General Assembly at its 10th plenary meeting on 5 February 1999, the observer of Switzerland made a statement.

The representative of Turkey made a statement in explanation of vote before the vote.

By 124 votes to 6, with 25 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/ES-10/L.7 (resolution ES-10/8).

By 133 votes to 4, with 16 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/ES-10/L.8 (resolution ES-10/9).

Statements in explanation of vote after the vote were made by the representatives of Australia, Pakistan and Paraguay.

The observer of Palestine made a statement.

The General Assembly thus adjourned its tenth emergency special session in accordance with the terms of paragraph 3 of resolution ES-10/9.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Fifty-sixth session

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE

39th meeting

Note: The summary of the 39th meeting of the Fifth Committee will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 2001/248).

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

Resumed substantive session of 2001

46th meeting

Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters [1]

The Council waived rule 20 of the rules of procedure of the Economic and Social Council.

*Change of date for the organizational session of the Economic and Social Council, 2002**Oral decision*

Upon the proposal of the President, the Council decided to set the date of its organizational session for 2002 to 12 to 15 February 2002.

*Elections**Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues*

In accordance with its resolution 2000/22 and decision 2001/316, the Council elected the following members by acclamation to the newly established Forum for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2002: Njuma Ekudanayo (Democratic Republic of the Congo), Yuji Iwasawa (Japan) and Yuri Alexandrovitch Boitchenko (Russian Federation).

The Council proceeded to elect by secret ballot two members from Latin American and Caribbean States and two members from Western European and other States for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2002.

Bettina Cadenbach (Germany) and Hans Plut (Austria) served as tellers.

The results of the secret ballot were as follows:

Latin American and Caribbean States:

	<i>Votes</i>
Otilia Lux García de Coti (Guatemala)	39
Marcos Matias Alonso (Mexico)	30
Ronald Karwofodi (Suriname)	19
María Fernanda Espinosa (Ecuador)	16

Having obtained the required majority, Otilia Lux García de Coti (Guatemala) and Marcos Matias Alonso (Mexico) were declared elected.

Western European and other States:

Wayne Lord (Canada)
 Ida Nicolaisen (Denmark)
 María Noguerol Álvarez (Spain)

Having obtained the required majority, Wayne Lord (Canada) and Ida Nicolaisen (Denmark) were declared elected.

Following a statement by the representative of the Russian Federation, the President of the Council read out the names of the eight members appointed by him to the Forum for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2002: Antonio Jacanamijoy (Colombia), Ayitegau Kouevi (Togo), Willie Littlechild (Canada), Ole Henrik Magga (Norway), Zinaida Strogalschikova (Russian Federation), Parshuram Tamang (Nepal), Mililani Trask (United States of America) and Fortunato Turpo Chacuehuanca (Peru).

The Council postponed to a future session the election of one member from Asian States for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2002.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Sudan and Suriname.

Commission on Narcotic Drugs

The Council elected South Africa to fill a postponed vacancy on the Commission for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 2002.

Committee on Science and Technology for Development

The Council elected the Philippines to fill a postponed vacancy on the Commission for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 2004.

The Council postponed to a future session the election of one member from Asian States and one member from Western European and other States for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 2004.

Executive Board of the World Food Programme

The Council elected Australia and the United Kingdom to fill postponed vacancies on the Executive Board for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2002.

Executive Board of the United Nations Children's Fund

The Council was informed that Bolivia would be unable to complete its term of office on the Board as of 1 January 2002.

The Council therefore elected Trinidad and Tobago to replace Bolivia from 1 January to 31 December 2002.

*Economic and environmental questions [13]**(b) Science and technology for development*

Upon the proposal of the President, the Council decided to defer to its organizational session of the Economic and Social Council in May 2002 the consideration of the draft resolution III contained in document E/2001/31 (Chapter I, section A).

*(g) Transport of dangerous goods**Introduction of and action on draft resolution E/2001/L.52*

The representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China) introduced the draft resolution contained in document E/2001/L52.

The representative of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union) made a statement regarding the French language translation.

The Council adopted the draft resolution.

The Council thus concluded its consideration of sub-item (g).

(j) Energy and natural resources for development

Upon the proposal of the President, the Council decided to defer to its organizational session of the Economic and Social Council in May 2002 the consideration of the draft decision contained in document E/2000/32-E/C.14/2000/11 (Chapter I, section B).

The Council thus concluded its consideration of sub-item (j).

*(k) Public administration and development**Introduction of and action on draft resolution E/2001/L.46/Rev.2*

The representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China and the Czech Republic, Mexico and Ukraine) introduced and orally revised the draft resolution contained in document E/2001/L.46/Rev.2.

The representatives of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union) and Syrian Arab Republic made statements regarding the French and Arabic language translations.

The Council adopted the draft resolution.

The Council thus concluded its consideration of sub-item (k).

(m) International cooperation on tax matters

The Council was informed that due to some technical issues the item could not be taken up at this session.

Oral decision

On the proposal of the President (Cameroon), the Council decided to defer the consideration of the report on the international cooperation on tax matters to the substantive session of the Economic and Social Council 2002.

*Social and human rights questions [14]**(a) Advancement of women**Action on draft decision E/2001/L.51*

The representative of Croatia (on behalf of the sponsors listed and Senegal) introduced the draft resolution contained in document E/2001/L.51.

The representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China) orally revised the draft decision.

The Council adopted the draft decision as orally revised.

The Council thus concluded its consideration of sub-item (a).

*(b) Social development**Oral decision*

On the proposal of the President, the Council took note of the report contained in document E/2001/71/Add.1.

(c) Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice

Recommendations contained in the revised report of the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice (E/2001/30/Rev.1)

Draft resolutions I and II (Part II)

The Council recommended the draft resolutions for adoption by the General Assembly and thus concluded its consideration of the recommendations contained in the revised report of the Commission.

The Council concluded its consideration of agenda item 14 as a whole.

Closure of the substantive session

The President made an statement.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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